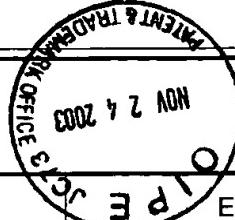


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
112857-302

In Re Application Of: Kiyoshi Yamaura et al.



Serial No.
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of October 1, 2003 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 - The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-1818
 - If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 02-1818

Dated: November 18, 2003

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